

AGENT ELBOGEN SENTENCED.

Five Years and Eleven Months for Abducting Miss Reckwig.

Judge Martine Severe on the New Orleans Concert-House Agent.

August Elbogen, the dramatic agent who was convicted of kidnapping Jennie Reckwig and sending her to New Orleans for immoral purposes, was today sentenced to five years and eleven months in State prison by Judge Martine in Part I, General Session.

There were very few persons in court when Elbogen, who had been brought down from the Tombs handcuffed to a deputy sheriff, was called to the bar to receive his sentence. None of the young women who sedulously sat through his trial were present, and his wife, who proved a very material witness in his behalf, was conspicuous by her absence. Lawyer Fred R. Howe, the prisoner's counsel, made the usual motion for a new trial and an arrest of judgment, which was denied.

It was then appealed to the court to be as lenient as possible with the prisoner in view of the recommendation made by the jury.

In imposing sentence on Elbogen Judge Martine said that the evidence was so strong against him that the jury could not have reached a conclusion that he was innocent. He said that the prisoner's story when Judge Martine said that he did not believe he was innocent.

"But I fully believe," Judge Martine continued, "that you knew something more than you admitted about the character of that concert hall in New Orleans."

"My previous reputation I am satisfied was good, and while the community is to be congratulated over the return of the Reckwig girl in a pure condition, your case is not an exonerating one."

Judge Martine then sentenced Elbogen as above. He was led out of the court room apparently unconscious and he was taken to Sing Sing to-morrow, if his counsel could not secure his release on a writ of habeas corpus.

Jennie Reckwig, the pretty young girl who was the complainant against Elbogen and appeared in the New Orleans concert hall as Lillian Wray, is a slight girl, appearing to be about fourteen years old, though she is a year or two older.

She wore a simple gown of Scotch plaid dress goods and a big hat trimmed with ostrich plumes.

Elbogen advertised in the newspapers for "pretty young ladies" to accept lucrative places as singers and actors on the stage.

Jennie Reckwig, among scores of young girls, responded, visiting Elbogen's office, 38 East Fourth street. She aspired to be a Clara Morris or a Bernhardt. Elbogen told her that the theatre to which he was sending her in New Orleans was a highly respectable place; that she would be given a front place, her salary would range from \$100 to \$200 a week, and that she would board with his brother-in-law, at a cost of only \$5.00 a week.

He told her he had sent other girls to this place and they had all written him that their places were splendid. He took her with five other girls to Corbin's theatre, where they bought their tickets for them and sent them on their way.

At New Orleans Jennie Reckwig found that the theatre was not first class, but was the very lowest kind of dives. Schoenhausen and Pant and two theatres. They were called the "Eden" and the "Eden."

Instead of being made a front lady Jennie Reckwig was forced to put on a gown that came down only to her knees and was cut low at the neck, and to go about in the low dive peeping her to lowest men and women of New Orleans.

The girls were divided into two classes—"singers" and "beer peddlers." Jennie Reckwig was a "singer," and she peddled beer from 11 a. m. to 12 a. m. in the afternoon clear through the night, sometimes at one, sometimes at the other theatre, till she was rescued by a Christian association for the protection of children.

REFUSED TO BE BOYCOTTED.

Koch & Dreyfuss Enjoin the National Watch Trust.

The Firm Was to Pay a \$1,000 Fine or Be Blacklisted.

Justice O'Brien, of the Supreme Court, today granted a temporary injunction to Koch & Dreyfuss, jewelry and watch dealers in watches at 22 John street, restraining the National Association of Jewelers in America from boycotting or doing any act to the injury of the business of Koch & Dreyfuss.

A notice of this injunction was served upon Secretary James H. Noyes of the Association, which might be called "Trust," and thereby hangs a tale.

According to the story, the Eights, Waltons, Cosmopolans and other watch companies, together with most of the jewelry and watch dealers in watches, formed the Association in 1887.

Rules and regulations of the ironical variety were laid down and penalties prescribed for violations.

Any jobber or dealer who didn't buy goods from members of the Association was to be boycotted.

Any one who sold below the "Trust" prices, as stipulated in the rules, was to be punished, and the Association members were bound never again to sell goods to them except at retail prices.

Now, it is claimed, the Association found Koch & Dreyfuss, members of the Association, guilty of selling goods too cheaply, and that a fine of \$1,000 was imposed upon them.

They were to be suspended until the fine was paid, and if they had not paid the fine by 10 o'clock today, then a notice of a boycott would be sent to all manufacturers, dealers and tradepeople throughout the country.

Koch & Dreyfuss, an immense watch establishment. They did not like the boycott, and went to have a subpoena of 120 Broadway street lawyers, who applied for and got the temporary injunction.

Neither Mr. Koch nor Mr. Dreyfuss would give any interview to the press, but they told the press that they were in the trouble today, and an EVENING WORLD reporter was at the Elbowy Watch Company's office in the Corbin Building that President E. A. Schoenhausen of the National Association, jewelers in America watches, was out and would be indisputably.

TO FACE PINKERTON CLUBS.

Will the Public Be Outraged Again To-Day at Gravesend Races?

People Illegally Detained, Arrested, Searched and Clubbed by Dwyer's Orders.

The measures adopted by Mr. Dwyer and the officers of the Brooklyn Jockey club to prevent the races at Gravesend from being transmitted to evening papers did fair to be provocative of very serious trouble; for the public, whose rights and privileges are unlawfully, illegally and brutally interfered with, will very likely make things exceedingly hot for the Dwyers and their hired Pinkertons.

Ten thousand people yesterday allowed President Philip J. Dwyer and a force of Pinkertons to hold them prisoners for more than three hours at the Brooklyn Jockey Club race track.

There was a single exception, and he was a Kentuckian. He demanded that he be allowed to leave the track, and when his request was refused he produced an ugly-looking revolver, and the Pinkertons melted away from his frowning muzzle like snow banks under a July sun.

Such high-handed proceedings have never been heard of before in the rich city of New York. The people had to submit to the indignity. If they had tried to force their way out they would have been clubbed, as was one unfortunate fellow who was ill and insisted on being allowed to return to his home.

This remarkable order by President Dwyer was issued after 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The Pinkertons were then distributed around the entire course, inside and outside, with instructions to prevent any one from climbing the fence to view the race.

At least a dozen of these ruffians, the biggest and strongest of the illegal and irrevocable force, were placed at the entrance of the gate prepared to enforce any order of their chief or of Mr. Dwyer.

As many more were outside the big iron gate, ready to deal with any daring individual who undertook to leap the gate.

Along the road, on the outside of the central entrance, there were two dozen Pinkerton men, ready to stop and detain any one who they chanced to think looked suspicious from the Dwyer point of view.

In short, there were Pinkerton men all over the place. One was fairly afraid to speak his mind, for fear of being overheard and beaten by these armed desperadoes.

The alleged reason for all these extraordinary proceedings, was that Dwyer was determined that the pool-rooms should not get any news from the track.

The Western Union Telegraph Company had established an office in an old hotel adjoining, on top of the track, where the cupola, from which the races could be viewed.

The telegraph company sent a large force of men to the track, equipped with hollow wooden balls, which they were to throw over the fence to other employees on the outside. The information desired by the pool-rooms was in these wooden spheres.

With the beginning of the race a series of the most outrageous proceedings occurred. Every man who passed or went anywhere near the Western Union's office on the road was seized by the Pinkerton men and actually robbed. Men were held up and searched, and if their pockets contained any reports of the races the Pinkertons tore it out and then arrested the man.

They took at least a dozen Western Union men to jail. They could not make a charge, of course, as there was no ground on which to base it. No crime had been committed; no disorder had been caused except by the Pinkertons themselves. The prisoners had been wrongfully arrested, as a matter of course they were released as soon as Dwyer's object had been accomplished.

Inside the gates equally outrageous things were done. There were hundreds of people who were anxious to return to the city before the close of the racing, and they were kept from doing so by the armed force of the Pinkertons. They were kept from doing so by the armed force of the Pinkertons.

Even ladies were denied the privilege of leaving the place. The query and answer which passed between people and Pinkertons' hirelings was something like this:

"I must get out. I have business to attend to."

"Well, you can't get out. I don't care what your business is and I don't care who you are," was the stereotyped reply, accompanied with exasperating leers.

One man came to the gate and said he wanted to go home because he was ill. His wife and child were with him. He was refused, and when he attempted to force his way out the Pinkerton irregulars grasped him by the throat and threw him back. Maudened at this assault, the sick man rushed at his cowardly assailant. In the twinkling of an eye the half a dozen other Pinkerton employees jumped on him and held their clubs on the unfortunate man's body.

A group of ladies screamed at this brutal treatment, and a crowd of men rushed out from the betting ring. The unfortunate man was then thrown bodily out of the gate.

The next incident was the experience of the Kentuckian who forced his way out at the muzzle of a pistol.

President Dwyer declared that the EVENING WORLD shouldn't send a line of copy out until after the fourth race; but fences and gates or Pinkerton uniforms did not hinder the EVENING WORLD man from getting a full report on the time, the horses and the scenes on the least provocation or no provocation at all, and similar scenes are likely to be enacted to-day if the people submit to being imprisoned again.

Corporation Counsel Clark said to-day, in commenting on the action of the Dwyers:

"It was a high-handed proceeding, and it will not succeed. The American people will not be coerced. When you try to force them to do a thing, they are extremely liable to do the opposite."

It had been at the race track yesterday and wanted to leave it, I would have done so or they would have been arrested. I am sure that if I had been arrested I would have been treated as a prisoner of war. I am sure that if I had been arrested I would have been treated as a prisoner of war.

It is a false imprisonment to illegally detain a man, as was done at Gravesend yesterday."

Portugal's New Cabinet and Her Finance Minister's Confidence.

[By cables to the press from London.]

Lisbon, May 22.—The new Cabinet is made up as published in yesterday's despatches from here, except in the substitution of Senhor Jaao Chrysostomo for Senhor Sousa as Premier and Minister of War.

PARIS, May 22.—The correspondent of Le Matin at Lisbon sends his paper an interview with the new Minister of Finance, the new Minister of Finance, in which the latter declares that the financial position of Portugal, while extremely difficult, is by no means desperate, and that he has the fullest confidence in the credit of his country.

He believed everything would be retrieved by a strong Government, determined on carrying out a programme of serious economic reforms.

Senhor Carvalho will leave for Paris to-morrow to conclude necessary financial obligations.

Flint's Prices Are No Very Low.

[From the Boston Herald.]

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NOTES OF THE STAGE WORLD.

Terpsichorean Novelties at the Eden Musee.

Amusing Story of the Composer of "The Tar and the Tartar."

There was a crowd at the Eden Musee last night when a number of Terpsichorean novelties were announced. So many people were present that chairs were placed in the aisles. The gathering suggested the opening night of Spanish Opera. The first novelty made known was a grand march (the programme called it "electric kaleidoscope," and those words should be repeated, even if their significance be not remarkably in evidence) in which sixteen dancers took part. They went through a number of evolutions arranged by H. Fletcher Rivers, and they wore light and spangly and sweet smiles. The stage of the Musee is not the best place for a Terpsichorean performance, yet last night it was not a bad one. The dancers were very good, and the music was very good. The music was very good, and the music was very good.

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SPORTING NEWS AND NOTES.

Mutrie Says the Giants Have Now Got "On Their Pins."

Gossip and Coming Events of Interest in the Athletic Clubs.

New York put up a great game yesterday, and little Twiggie Sharnoff juggled the apple so effectively that Cincinnati felt a prey. The Giants batted hard, but the Reds felled sharply and scored only 5 to 4 when the game was over. Mutrie smiled, of course, and declared that his boys were "on their pins" at last. Brooklyn succumbed again to Pittsburgh, by a score of 7 to 4. Philadelphia kept the Chicago men busy for thirteen innings but Anson's men had the luck and pulled out the game by a score of 10 to 7. Three hits and a base on balls yielded the winning runs. For once more, Clarkson was an invincible yesterday, and as he bothered the Cleveland boys, Boston won, 6 to 2. American Association games resulted as follows: Baltimore 9, Columbus 6; Athletic 6, Cincinnati 3; St. Louis 6, Boston 2; Washington 1, Louisville 0.

Championship standings up to to-day:

Team	W	L	Draw	Runs	Runs Allowed	Runs Differential
Chicago	18	7	1	220	140	+80
Boston	17	8	1	210	130	+80
Philadelphia	16	9	1	200	120	+80
Baltimore	15	10	1	190	110	+80
St. Louis	14	11	1	180	100	+80
Cincinnati	13	12	1	170	90	+80
Pittsburgh	12	13	1	160	80	+80
Cleveland	11	14	1	150	70	+80
Washington	10	15	1	140	60	+80
Louisville	9	16	1	130	50	+80

The opening of the season yesterday at Larchmont by the Hoboken Turtle Club proved a very enjoyable occurrence for those fond of a due sport.

The Badminton Lawn-Tennis Club will open its season to-morrow with club tournament.

A number of the members of the Staten Island Athletic Club will accompany their lacrosse team to-morrow to Bethlehem to see them compete with the Lehigh University team.

There will be a chowder dinner following the opening of the Hudson River Yacht Club. The event will take place next Sunday, and quite a large number of the club's friends have been invited.

The Allertons and Grahams will play at Monitor Park next Sunday.

Unless unfavorable weather causes a postponement, the handicap races of the Eastern Yacht Club will be sailed on Memorial Day from Marlborough Rock.

There was some very good shooting at Dexter Park yesterday, on which occasion the Waukegan Gun Club held its regular monthly shoot. The day, with ten straight birds, proved the best shot.

The New Yorks are playing ball in pretty good form at present and Manager Mutrie has great hopes of seeing them up among the leaders before the close of July.

A large time is expected at the opening of the club for the American Athletic Club, which takes place Saturday, May 30.

Jimmy Carroll is full of fight now, and is anxious to get on with his training.

Quite a successful athletic entertainment was given at the Casino last night for the benefit of the uniform fund of St. George's Battalion.

The Manhattan Athletic Club has completed all the final arrangements for the Spring games, which are to be held May 31 at their grounds, corner of Fifty-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

There will be an interesting pigeon match at the club circle June 1 at Woodlawn Park, between J. P. Schmalz and W. Schultze, for \$500.

The Lorillard Athletic Club, of Jersey City, will hold its annual excursion May 30. They go to Washington Park on the Hudson.

The baseball experts of this city and Brooklyn are counting on having a pleasant visit to Philadelphia next week, and it is said the Quakers are making extensive preparations to receive them.

Eddie Sweeney is backing Jerry Slattery against Billy Smith in a boxing fight to a finish. James McCabe has thrown.

The members of the Y. M. C. C. are hoping for a fine day next Sunday for the time set for their grand outing, to be held under the direction of Prof. O'Neill. The party will leave the clubhouse at 9 a. m. and take the R. F. D. train to the Rockaway Beach Ferry and proceed to the beach. The party will have a picnic at Powers' farm and then hold a cross-country run for a good meal.

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FROM THE WORLD OF LABOR.

The retail clerks, male and female, of St. Cloud, Minn., have organized for early closing. Their union has been organized.

Andrew Paley is the new delegate of the International Brotherhood of Bricklayers, Building Trades Union of the Central Labor Union.

The Tin and Sheet Iron Workers Union has called a special meeting for the evening to hear an address by the Rev. J. H. McManus, pastor of the First Baptist Church, on the subject of the strike of the striking housewives.

August Baker, William Liskowski and William Miller will be the delegates of the German Social Democracy to the International Labor Congress in Brussels.

The brewers working for Valentine Lower have sent a list of names to Baker's Union, No. 33, to be added to the list of members.

John J. O'Brien, 10, located in Trenton, N. J., will celebrate Memorial Day by a grand picnic with races and games at Hester's farm.

The Railway Yard Masters' Association will meet in Trenton, N. J., to-day, to discuss the proposed closing of the yard during the past year, reducing its debt of \$12,500 to \$10,000.

Machine Workers' Union No. 38 will select a new manager for its labor bureau, John R. Korte, who has been elected.

The Union of the Union to pay claims for the benefit of the striking housewives.

Local Union No. 350, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, will hold a picnic at the Rockaway Beach Ferry and proceed to the beach. The party will have a picnic at Powers' farm and then hold a cross-country run for a good meal.

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